GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4240
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INSURANCE CLAIM OF FARMERS OF A.P.
NEDURUMALLI JANARDHANA REDDY;YEMPARALA VENKATESWARA RAO

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether insurance claims of about 8,000 cotton farmers from Adilabad district of Andhra Pradesh have not been settled so far;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government have received any request from the Government of Andhra Pradesh in this regard; and

(d) the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a): The General Insurance Corporation of India (GIC) has now been directed tosettle these claims immediately in respect of cotton crop for 38 Mandals of Adilabad district of Andhra Pradesh.

(b): Settlement of these claims were delayed because correct and revised yield data based on which the admissible claims are calculated by the IA was received from the State vary late.

(c) & (d): Yes, Sir. The IA has already been directed to Settle the admissible claims expeditiously.